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# Exhibit I

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February 7, 2025

### VIA MDL CENTRALITY, CERTIFIED MAIL, AND EMAIL

Re: MDL 3084 – Order re Withdrawal of Counsel in Case No. 3:24-CV-05962-CRB, MDLC ID 1982

Dear C.C.,

We write on behalf of our client, Uber Technologies Inc. ("Uber"), regarding *C.C.* v. *Uber Technologies, Inc., et al.*, 3:24-CV-05962-CRB, MDLC ID 1982, which you filed in *In re Uber Technologies, Inc. Passenger Sexual Assault Litigation*, 3:23-md-03084-CRB ("the MDL"). On January 6, 2025, Pulaski Kherkher, PLLC moved to withdraw its representation of you on the grounds that you have "failed to respond to Counsel's numerous communication attempts via telephone, email, and text messages" since "October 25, 2024." *C.C.*, No. 3:24-CV-05962-CRB, ECF 5 at 1 (Exhibit 1). On February 3, 2025, the Court granted that motion. *C.C.*, No. 3:24-CV-05962-CRB, ECF 6 at 1 (Exhibit 2). It is our understanding that you have not found replacement counsel and are no longer represented by an attorney. If that understanding is incorrect, please provide this communication to your attorney, and have your attorney contact us via the information provided above or below as soon as possible.

The Court's Order states that "Within 28 days of this order, [the] plaintiff shall file a notice indicating whether they intend to pursue the action with new counsel or representing themselves. If [the] plaintiff does not file that notice, the Court will dismiss their case without prejudice." Exhibit 2 at 1. The Court also ordered Uber's counsel to "provide a copy of this order to the plaintiff[]." *Id.* The Court's Order is attached to this correspondence as Exhibit 2. Per this Order, you must "file a notice indicating whether [you] intend to pursue the action with new counsel or representing [yourself]" within 28 days of February 3, 2025, i.e. by Monday, March 3, 2025, or else "the Court will dismiss [your] case without prejudice."

We ask that you please email us confirmation of your receipt of this letter, via email to <a href="mailto:ksmith@paulweiss.com">ksmith@paulweiss.com</a>, <a href="mailto:lmurray@paulweiss.com">lmurray@paulweiss.com</a>, and <a href="mailto:receipt of this letter">receipt of this letter</a>, via email to <a href="mailto:ksmith@paulweiss.com">ksmith@paulweiss.com</a>, and <a href="mailto:receipt of this letter">receipt of this letter</a>, via email to <a href="mailto:ksmith@paulweiss.com">ksmith@paulweiss.com</a>, and <a href="mailto:receipt of this letter">receipt of this letter</a>, via email to <a href="mailto:ksmith@paulweiss.com">ksmith@paulweiss.com</a>, at your earliest opportunity. If you would like to discuss the letter's contents further, please let us know, and we would be happy to organize a meet and confer.

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C.C. 2

Sincerely,

PAUL, WEISS, RIFKIND, WHARTON & GARRISON LLP

By: /s/ Kyle Smith

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## EXHIBIT 1

1 D. Douglas Grubbs (Admitted PHV) Adam K. Pulaski (Admitted PHV) PULASKI KHERKHER, PLLC 2925 Richmond Avenue, Ste 1725 3 Houston, TX 77098 Telephone: 713-664-4555 Facsimile: 713-664-7543 Email: dgrubbs@pulaskilawfirm.com Email: adam@pulaskilawfirm.com 6 Counsel for Plaintiff 7 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 8 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION 9 IN RE: UBER TECHNOLOGIES, INC., MDL No. 3084 CRB 10 PASSENGER SEXUAL ASSAULT 11 LITIGATION Honorable Charles R. Breyer 12 MOTION TO WITHDRAW AS COUNSEL This Document Relates to: 13 OF RECORD C.C. vs. Uber Technologies, Inc., et al; 3:24-cv-14 05962 15 16 Pursuant to Local Rule 11-5, D. Douglas Grubbs of Pulaski Kherkher, PLLC, counsel of 17 18 record for Plaintiff C.C. ("Counsel"), respectfully moves this Court for an Order allowing his firm to 19 withdraw as counsel of record in the above-captioned matter. 20 Over the past several months, Plaintiff C.C. has failed to respond to Counsel's numerous 21 communication attempts via telephone, email, and text messages. Counsel last spoke to Plaintiff on 22 October 25, 2024, when he requested Plaintiff's assistance in obtaining a different format of her ride 23 receipt due to various issues opposing counsel identified during a meet and confer earlier that 24 afternoon. During Counsel's phone call with Plaintiff, she indicated that she would attempt to find 25 26 another version of her ride receipt over the weekend. Counsel continued to follow-up with Plaintiff 27 but has not receive a response to date. 28

MOTION TO WITHDRAW

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On November 15, 2024, Counsel advised Plaintiff in writing of his intent to withdraw from 1 this matter via electronic mail if she did not respond by November 25, 2024. At the time of this filing, Plaintiff has still not responded to Counsel. Counsel has advised Defendants of his firm's 3 4 intent to withdraw from this matter during follow-up meet and confer zoom discussions if he did not 5 hear from Plaintiff. 6 WHEREFORE, the law firm of Pulaski Kherkher, PLLC; and all attorneys of record for 7 Plaintiff request that they be allowed to withdraw as counsel of record for Plaintiff C.C. A copy of 8 this motion will be served upon Plaintiff at her last known address and via electronic mail. 10 11 Dated: January 6, 2025 Respectfully submitted, 12 PULASKI KHERKHER, PLLC 13 /s/ D. Douglas Grubbs D. Douglas Grubbs (TX Bar No. 24065339) 14 (Admitted Pro Hac Vice) 15 Adam K. Pulaski (TX Bar No. 16385800) (Admitted Pro Hac Vice) 16 2925 Richmond Avenue, Suite 1725 Houston, Texas 77098 17 Tel: 713-664-4555 Facsimile: 713-664-7543 18 dgrubbs@pulaskilawfirm.com 19 adam@pulaskilawfirm.com 20 Counsel for Plaintiff 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE** 

filing thereby transmitting a Notice of Electronic Filing to all CM/ECF registrants. Additionally, the

foregoing was served on Defendants' counsel via email at: MDL3084-service-Uber@paulweiss.com.

I hereby certify that on January 6, 2025, I electronically transmitted the foregoing MOTION

TO WITHDRAW AS COUNSEL OF RECORD to the Clerk's office using the CM/ECF system for 

/s/ D. Douglas Grubbs D. Douglas Grubbs

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6	Counsel for Plaintiff		
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8	UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION		
	IN RE: UBER TECHNOLOGIES, INC.,	MDL No. 3084 CRB	
10	PASSENGER SEXUAL ASSAULT		
11	LITIGATION	Honorable Charles R. Breyer	
12	This Document Relates to:	[PROPOSED] ORDER GRANTING	
13		WITHDRAWAL OF COUNSEL OF	
14	C.C. vs. Uber Technologies, Inc., et al; 3:24-cv-05962	RECORD	
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17	CONSIDERING the foregoing Motion to Withdraw as Counsel of Record for C.C.		
18	IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Pulaski Kherkher, PLLC is withdrawn as Plaintiff's counse		
19	of record and shall be relieved of any further responsibility in connection with this action.		
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21	HONORABLE CHARLES R. BREYER		
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## EXHIBIT 2

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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALLEORNIA

IN RE: UBER TECHNOLOGIES, INC., PASSENGER SEXUAL ASSAULT LITIGATION

MDL No. 3084

This Order Relates To:

See Attachment

### ORDER GRANTING MOTIONS TO WITHDRAW

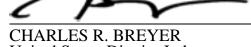
Re: Dkt. Nos. 2045, 2055, 2056, 2062, 2066, 2068, 2069, 2070, 2081

The above captioned motions to withdraw are granted. Within 28 days of this order, each plaintiff shall file a notice indicating whether they intend to pursue the action with new counsel or representing themselves. If any plaintiff does not file that notice, the Court will dismiss their case without prejudice.

Uber's counsel shall provide a copy of this order to the plaintiffs and file a declaration within 7 days of this ruling explaining how they did so.

### IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: February 3, 2025



United States District Judge

### **ATTACHMENT**

### This Order relates to:

C.C. vs. Uber, Inc.,

Case No. 3:24-cv-05962-CRB

L.D. v. Uber, Inc.,

Case No. 3:24-cv-05306-CRB

J.H. v. Uber, Inc.,

Case No. 3:24-cv-03441-CRB

C.H. vs. Uber, Inc.,

Case No. 3:24-cv-04363-CRB

R.D. v. Uber, Inc.,

Case No. 3:24-cv-05393-CRB

J.K. v. Uber, Inc.,

Case No. 3:24-cv-05463-CRB

M.P. v. Uber, Inc.,

Case No. 3:24-cv-05688-CRB

T.F. v. Uber, Inc.,

Case No. 3:24-cv-05768-CRB

A.O. v. Uber, Inc.,

Case No. 3:24-cv-05717-CRB